## TRANSYLVANIA FIRED AT BY SUBMARINE ESCAPES THE FATE OF LINER LUSITANI

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# O OFFER FOR DEATH OF FOLEY'S AIDE; ROFRANO, CITY OFFICIAL, IS ACCUSED

## BATTLE FLEET SAILS AWAY, ROARING OUT SALUTE IN REVIEW BEFORE PRESIDENT

Secretary Daniels and Admiral Fletcher Thank the City for Its Reception as Ships Start for the War Game.

The Atantic fleet of dreadnoughts, battleships, torpedoboat destroyers and submarines went out to sea to-day, reviewed by President Wilson, saluting with guns and dipping of flags and amid all the pomp and cir-

The President, on the Mayflower, sailed down the Hudson from Fortysecond Street into the shadow of the upraised arm of the Statue of Liberty, taking station there at 11 o'clock.

Along roofs of buildings and from unnumbered windows, from piers Head of Kinsale on May 7 by means and open spaces all the length of the river front were black masses of of two submarines other than the spectators. The walks of Battery Park were so jammed that moving was impossible

British Secretary for War

Says Allies Will Use Dead-

ly Gas in Reprisal,

300,000 more recruits to form new

therwise exist.

Basides these the President, as the Mayflower moved down the river. looked out on the German merchant fleet in sanctuary at Hoboken, tricked out with every streamer and flag in their lockers and making a show far more brilliant than the decorations of the home shipping; ahead of him he saw the Cunarder Orduna glide out of the harbor bound for the war zone; to right and left h American submarines with sail ors on their shells standing but a few inches above the water, waiting for the signals from the parent ships, th old monitors and the Fulton, to join in the wake of the outgoing monsters. Below the Mayflower, at her anchorage, lay the Dolphin, flying the anchored flag of meretary of the Navy Daniels. Below her was U. S. S. Yankton and the revenue cutter Mo hawk. The tiny naval yacht Spray bustled between them. Back of them Lords this afternoon Lord Kitchener. on the steamer Mandalay were the wives and families of officers of the ficet as guests of The World: the Sandy Hook liner Monmouth, the

of Aldermen and an Iron Steamboat Twenty minutes after the Mayflower was in position, out of the gray and black patt of smoke with which the funnels made gloomy the okfes behind them, the van of the majestic procession became visible to the President. The basket masts rose dim outline against the smoky ound. Above each mast as the ships were going into batensigns of the four Admirals.

river boats Washington leving and

and big, George F. Baker Jr's Viking

and John D. Archbold's Vixen among

them. There was a fat ferryboat full

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#### PIMLICO WINNERS.

FIRST RACE—Maiden two-year-olds:
five furbages—Mustard, 110 (Buxton),
straight, \$2.10, place, \$1.00, show, \$3.10,
first, lotic, 197 (Matthews), place, \$3.30;
show, \$3.50; second; Nolli, 110 (Sechuttinger, show, \$6.50, third Time, 1.02.5-5.
Tar Brush, Tribol, Edite T, also ranSECOND RACE—Consolation steeplechase for four-year-olds and uptwo miles—Senegambian, 158 (A.
Lee), straight \$17, place \$3.80, show
\$3.10, won; Tan Horn, 140 (F Willlams), place \$4.50, show \$4, second;
Rocktish, 132 (Hryand, show \$1.90,
third Time—3.5s Kings Lann, Frog.
Gynosurs, Carolee and Buckthorn also
Tan.

THIRD RACE-Selling; handlesp; fo three-year-olds and upward, six fur longs.—Marjorie A. 164 (Taplin) straight \$6.20, place \$3.50, show \$3.20 Grat; Brandywine, 110 (Shilling), place \$2.70, show \$3.30, second; Cannock, 102 Ambrose, show \$6.50, third, Time— 1 11 1-5, Pay Streak, Miss Sherwood,

### SAYS SUBMARINES HELD BACK SHIPS FROM LUSITANIA

Capt. Wood of Etonian Declares German Boats Chased Vessels Racing to Aid Liner.

SHOT AT ONE OF THREE.

Torpedo Just Missed Narragansett, Claim Made - Exeter City and Etonian Dodged.

(Special to The Evening World.) BOSTON, May 18 .- A charge that

the Germans deliberately prevented other ships from going to the rescue one which sent a torpedo into the Capt. W. F. Wood of the Leyland Line steamship Etonian from Liver-

pool, after she docked at East Boston. rines interfered, he declared, three steamships to his knowledge would have gone to the resuce of the paswould have been saved than was the

of the two submarines. The torpedo missed her by a few feet, is the claim made. The captain of the Narraganwarned him not to attempt to reseue the Lusitania's passengers.

Capt. Wood's dramatic account of World reporter, follows: LONDON, May 18.- In the House of

"We had left Liverpool without unusual incident and it was two in the afternoon of Friday, May 7, that we Secretary for War, said he wanted the Lusitania.

Mer wireless operator sent this nessage, "We are ten miles south of

Trojan, and a score of yachts little the very near future the country would be in a satisfactory position tant from the position he gave me I'wo other steamships were ahead o with regard to the supply of amme, going in the same direction. They were the Narragansett and the City The news from the Gallifoli Peninof Exeter. The Narragansett was closer to the Lusstania and she ansula and the Dardanelles was thorswered the SOS call.
"At 5 P. M. I observed the City of oughly satisfactory. Earl Kitchener

Kinsale. Come at once."

Exeter cross our bows and she signalled asking whether we had hear He also stated that the British and French governments felt that the ailled troops must be adequately protected Etonian and the City of Exeter. The

submarine was about a quarter of a mile directly ahead of us. She implayment of similar methods. These mediately dived as soon as she saw us coming for her. I distinctly saw the splash in the water caused by her submerging.

I signalled to the engine room for would remove the enormous and unjustifiable advantage which must

response to the engine room for every available inch of speed and there was a prompt response.

Then we saw the submarine come up astern of us, with the periscope in line I now ordered full speed ahead and we left the sub-The British forces in Flunders have strongly reinforced, Lord Kitchener said, and are now in a position to take the offensive. marine slowly. The periscope re-mained in sight about twenty min-utes. Our speed was perhaps two MINE ZONE EXTENDED

miles an hour better than the sub BY GREAT BRITAIN submarine astern than I made out another on the starboard bow. This one was directly ahead and on the sur-Washington Is Notified of the Narface, not submerged. I starboarded hard away from him, he swinging as we did. About eight minutes later he submerged. I continued at top speed rowing of the Navigible

for four hours and saw no more of the submarines.
"Both these submarines were long WASHINGTON, May 18 -A mes-"Both these submarines were long the State Department shows that the British Admirally his greatly extending min that these two were acting in concert and were so placed as to state of the First Sea Exchange, to day tendered his resignation of the Sea State of the State Department shows that the less masts. There is no question in the Tombs. Churchtil, First Lord of the Admiral apperintendent of the New York Curron with the Teutonic allies should Italy awaiting trial for killing Minott. First Lord of the First Sea Exchange, to day tendered his resignation of the Sea Cornell. State of the Sea Cornell. First Lord of the Admiral apperintendent of the New York Curron with the Teutonic allies should Italy awaiting trial for killing Minott. State of the Sea Cornell of the Sea Cornell. State of the Sea Cornell. State of the Sea Cornell. State of the Sea Cornell of the Sea Cornell. State of the Sea Cornell of the Sea Co ed the mine fields about Great Britain and narrow, the navigable waters materially.

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## WHIZ BY TRANSYLVANIA AS LINER DODGED SUBMARINE

Death-Dealing Missile Missed Cunarder by Only 40 Feet-Captain Took Zig-Zag Course and Saved His Ship

LONDON, May 18 (United Press) .- The Anchor liner Transyl vania, under charter to the Cunard Line, carrying 879 passengers, narrowly escaped the same fate as the Lusitania, according to passengerwho arrived here to-day from Glasgow. A German submarine shot a torpedo at the Transylvania Sunday afternoon, they asserted, but the of the Lustiania passengers off Old death missile passed forty yards astern.

"I was standing, with two others, on the Transylvania's forward deck at about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon," said Walter R. Burston of Kent, who Cunard liner was made to-day by was returning to England from Jerome, Ariz, "One of the other passengers suddenly spied the periscope of a submarine and called our attention to it.

"An instant later there was a flash through the water and we saw the Had not the two German subma- white wake of a torpedo. It passed, as near as I can estimate, about forty

"We did not want to alarm the other passengers, but sent word to sengers of the Lusitania, with the Capt. Black on the bridge. The Transylvania immediately adopted a probability that many more lives zig-raggy course. She continued rushing about in this manner for several hours, careening from side to side in an alarming manner." Burston's statement was corroborated by Kenneth Douglas, an actor in

Burston said that the Transylvania, which sailed from New York on sett thereupon, according to Wood, the same day the Lusitania was sunk, was in mid-ocean before her passen- leave the city, being convinced that Mike Galmari killed. When I didn't gers learned that any lives had been lost aboard the big Cunar ler.

the episode, given to an Evening the rumor that the Lusitania had been torpeded," said Burston, "but they also had reports that she had been beached without loss of life.

"The Transplyania received orders to put into Glasgow and discharge her passengers instead of proceeding to Liverpool with them. Until they received the wireless S O S call from arrived at the Glasgow rallway station yesterday afternoon most of the Transylvania's passengers firmly believed that the majority of the Lusttania's passengers had been saved."

#### "I was then about forty miles dis ALLIES REPULSED. BERLIN REPORTS

RERLIN, May 18, German army It Will Be Several Days Before It adquarters to-day gave out the fulowing report:

"Quiet reigned yesterday north of Ypres on the canal near Steenstracte

ontinues to-day. South of Neuve Chapelle yesterday

enemy.

## CHURCHILL AND FISHER

LONDON, May 18 - It was inti-

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Can Be Answered Owing to Wide Range of Subjects.

and again to day British attacks were that it would be some days before In other quarters it was reported of the trial repulsed with heavy losses to the the answer of the Imperial Govern- Vanna to make a final appeal to who brought out the name. He, with

KENNETH DOUGLAS WHO SAW A TORPEDO MISS TRANSYLVANIA.



## PRINCE VON BULOW REPORTED READY

German Ambassador Is Convinced That Relations With Germany Will Be Broken.

"An hour before the Transylvania sailed, New York newspapers carried with Germany.

of the longest on record. At its close brief communication. the statement to be made before Par- some of the little guys along James llament. No further intimation was Street, who belong to Foley's club." iven us to what action was taken.

WILSON NOTE TO GERMANY word from the Government offices, ference with the Ministry
The het of the Austrians and Ger-

mores in Rome, except those detained by argent business, left the capital for killed in the possession of Cornell in the Swiss and Austrian borders to- the Home Rule Democratic Club. day. Their presence at the railway

and Het Sas. Southeast of Bossinghe, BERLIN, May 18 - The official text. The Jesus-General Londochowsky

emy.

Renewed French attacks on the ment was ready.

Franz Josef in the interests of peace. Heights of Lorette, near Ablain and This is because the note taken. The automobiles of every member Heights of Lorette, near Ablain and west of Lorette, near Ablain and west of Sciencez, resulted in failure.

Frisoners to the number of 150 remained in our hands at this point.

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London, May 18—Admission that he had effected territorial compensation to the District Attorney about the murder of which to flaily as the price of continued peaceful relations was made by Count to-day to subsuit for the approval of Dope Benedict the approval of Right Rev. Edward J. Hanna as Archibet Right Rev. Edward J. Hanna as Archibet Inc. The state the highest territorial compensation decided to flaily as the price of continued peaceful relations was made by Count to discuss the form of the peaceful relations was made by Count they were convicted and the murder of which they were convicted and the murder of Calmari.

These confessions implicated Frank Features and Rosco Cornell, leaders in the Home Ruis Club, and the latter the post of the post-peaced. The conviction I told him I took an appeal.

"Then he asked me how I happened to be there after my conviction I told him I took an appeal.

"Then he asked me how I thought they were convicted and the murder of the stood and I told him be was in back they are under indictment for urging to prison make a confession to the District Attorney in they were convicted and the murder of the stood and I told him be was in the Home Ruis Club, and the latter in the Home Ruis Club, and I said it would." SAID TO HAVE MADE UP to-day to submit for the approval of Stephan Texa, the Hungarian Prebishop of San Francisco Bishop nature of the concessions proposed.
Hanna was appointed Auxiliary Bishop WASHINGTON, May 18.—The Ital-LONDON. May 18—It was into described Auxiliary Business and the part of his narrative. Assistant District Attorney Brothers asked:

W. V. King Resigns From Cutton Barbanes.

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# SLAYER, COURT HEARS

Payments Stopped When Murder Was Delayed and Man Who Failed to Kill Hired Another, Says Witness.

#### OTHER MURDERS PLANNED IN FEUD, HE DECLARES

The prosecution in the trial of Gaetano Montimagno, on trial before Justice Davis for the murder on March 6 of Mike Gaimari, one of ex-Sheriff Thomas Foley's lieutenants in the Second Assembly District, brought into the case, through a witness, this afternoon the name of Mike Rofrano, Deputy Street Cleaning Commissioner and guiding spirit of the Home Rule Democratic Club, the anti-Foley organization. Rofrano was at one time a close political ally of Foley,

The witness was Joseph La Salle, who has confessed to murder and is serving a term in Sing Sing. He said:

"After my brother and I killed Jimmie Minott, one of Foley's men. I went to Brooklyn to the home of Rocco Cornell and stayed there several days. Montimagno came there nearly every morning, and I heard the

one morning, 'Mike Rofrano paid me away, having been held in a Magis man Ambassader, was preparing to \$15 a week for two years to have Italy was about to break relations pull off the job at the end of two

a brief communication was issued did a year ago. After we get Gaimari if he had heard what happened to stating that the Ministers discussed we'll get Mike St. Angele, and then

The testimony created a sensation The country is in arms awaiting in the courtroom, which was packed with Foley and Rofrano followers from the Second Assembly District. Earlier in the day Joseph La Salle's brother had testified that he had seen the revolver with which Gaimart was

In vesterday's proceedings Montistations attracted curious crowds, but magne was identified by three eyethere was no repetition of the hostile witnesses as the man who shot Gaimart at Oak and Chestnut Streets and threw a big revolver at his houd as on the eastern bank of the canal, of the American note to Germany inching developed at some points and was published, here to-day. It was said at the Foreign Office preparing to have for Austria.

Was published here to-day.

Was could not be averted and was Rule Democratic Club on the records

Antonio La Sallo was the witness his brother Joseph, killed James taken to West Side Prison and then Minott, a Foley captain, on Jan. 1 I was convicted and Jos took a plea

trate's court for the murder of Cal-

"My brother and me knew Montie magno," said the witness, "but Joe knew him better than me. Montimagno passed our cell in the exercise hour and spoke to us. He saked Jos Gaimari, and then he told us how he laid for Mike for a weer to got him and how he would have made a clean getaway if a citizen hadn't followed him into a seloon and seen him throw his overcoat away. The citizen called a cop, he said, and he was pinched." Fennimore at that time was in the Tombs awaiting sentence on conviction of having a loaded revolver in bid possession. Antonio La Salle, pro-

feeding with his testimony, saids "Montimagno asked Joe to tall Fennimore not to admit that he knew him. Then he told Joe to go to see Fennimore, who was on the seventh tier. Feantmore gave Joe & a five dollar bill and five one dollar bills which we gave to Montimagno. Joe said that Frank said for Monti-

magno to keep quiet, "Two days later Montimagne was

awaiting trial for killing Minott.
Montimagno, he said, was brought into the Tombs on that date and

